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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Dr. G.  
4 Richard Locke of Decatur, who passed away on August 29, 2009;  
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6           WHEREAS, He was born on January 12, 1937 in Youngstown,  
7 Ohio; he attended DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana  
8 where he met Judy Blang; they both graduated from DePauw and  
9 were married August 2, 1958; and

10           WHEREAS, He received his M.D. from Western Reserve  
11 University School of Medicine in Cleveland, Ohio, where he was  
12 Alpha Omega Alpha and then trained in Radiology at the  
13 University of Iowa; after serving in the United States Army  
14 from 1966 to 1968, the Lockes moved to Decatur; and

15           WHEREAS, Dr. Locke came to Decatur Memorial Hospital to  
16 bring cancer care to the community and was later the Chairman  
17 of the Department of Radiology at the hospital until his  
18 retirement in 2002; he was a Fellow in the American College of  
19 Radiology and served on the Board of Trustees of DePauw  
20 University and Millikin University; and

21           WHEREAS, Dr. Locke is survived by his wife, Judy Locke; his

1 four sons, Giles Richard Locke III M.D. (Jean), Jonathan Locke  
2 M.D. (Kathy), Mark Locke M.D. (Sarah), and J. Michael Locke  
3 J.D., M.B.A. (Heather); his 14 grandchildren, Katherine and  
4 Giles Richard Locke IV (Chip), Madeline, Emily, Anna, Jack,  
5 Elllie, Charles, Henry, William, J. Michael (Skip), Catherine,  
6 Caroline, and Graham; and his sisters, Jane Thompson (Jim) and  
7 Helen Layden (Jim); therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
9 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
10 mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of Dr. G.  
11 Richard Locke; and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13 presented to the family of Dr. G. Richard Locke as a symbol of  
14 our sincere sympathy.